

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA  
HAMMOND DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

MOHAMMED S. KHAN,

Defendant.

NO. 2:20 CR 00152-PPS/ APR

**ORDER**

This matter is before me on the findings and recommendation of Magistrate Judge Andrew P. Rodovich relating to defendant Mohammed Khan's agreement to enter a plea of guilty to Count 1 of the indictment pursuant to Rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure. [DE 20, 24.] Following a hearing on the record on April 22, 2021 [DE 24], Judge Rodovich found that defendant understands the charge, his rights, and the maximum penalty; that defendant is competent to plead guilty; that there is a factual basis for defendant's plea; that the defendant knowingly and voluntarily entered into his agreement to enter a plea of guilty to Count 1 of the indictment charging him with making a false claim upon an agency of the United States, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 287; and that defendant's change of plea hearing could not be delayed without serious harm to the interests of justice. Judge Rodovich recommends that the Court accept defendant's plea of guilty and proceed to impose sentence. The parties have waived objection to Judge Rodovich's findings and recommendation. [DE

24.]

ACCORDINGLY:

Having reviewed the Magistrate Judge's findings and recommendation concerning defendant Mohammed Khan's plea of guilty, to which objections have been waived, the Court hereby ADOPTS the findings and recommendation [DE 24] in their entirety.

Defendant Mohammed Khan is adjudged GUILTY of Count 1 of the indictment.

The sentencing hearing is SET for August 12, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.

Hammond/Central time.

ENTERED: May 5, 2021.

/s/ Philip P. Simon  
PHILIP P. SIMON, JUDGE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT